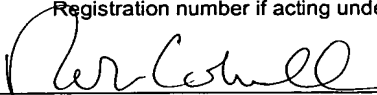




<b>APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>		Docket Number (Optional) 16869N-045500US	
<b>FY 2005</b> (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)			
Application Number 10/092,662		Filed March 6, 2002	
For STORAGE SYSTEM			
Art Unit 2175		Examiner Belix M. Ortiz	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):			
	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>	
<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225	<u>450** (see below)</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510	
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795	
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080	
<b>**Because the due date falls on Inauguration Day, January 20, 2005, it is believed to be a Federal holiday within the District of Columbia, and a two-month extension of time would apply for a response being mailed the next business day. However, if January 20, 2005, is not a Federal holiday, the Director is authorized to deduct a three-month extension fee from the Deposit Account listed below.</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.			
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>20-1430</u> . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.			
<b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b>			
I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.			
<input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number <u>27,431</u>			
<input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 _____			
 _____ Signature		_____ January 21, 2005 Date	
_____ Robert C. Colwell, Reg. No. 27,431 Typed or printed name		_____ 650-326-2400 Telephone Number	
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Total of _____ forms are submitted.			

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